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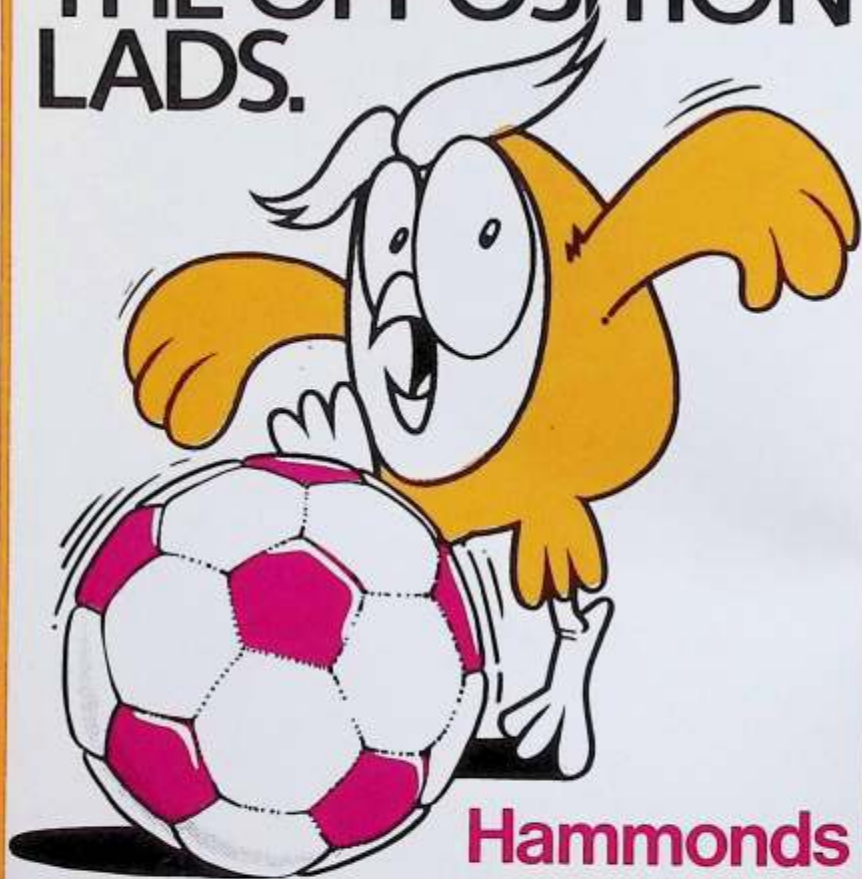
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# WELCOME

## TO VALLEY PARADE...

Wigan Athletic have only been members of the League for three years, but already particularly keen rivalry has built up between our two sides. In the six meetings between us since Wigan replaced their Lancashire neighbours Southport in the Fourth Division in 1978 we have won one game at Valley Parade and the other two matches were drawn while at Wigan's Springfield Park Ground, we have won twice and lost once.

By far the most exciting game of the six matches was at Valley Parade last April when we drew 3-3. The game was a credit to both sides, but will be particularly remembered by Bobby Campbell, who scored his first hat trick for us.

Wigan, who were elected to the League after many successful seasons in the Northern Premier League narrowly missed out on promotion in their first two seasons in the League, but slipped to a mid-table position last season and were clearly looking for a new start when they appointed Larry Lloyd, the former England, Liverpool and Nottingham Forest centre half as player/manager in March. Lloyd missed the match against us in April because of injury, but is expected to play today.

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# McFARLAND

Welcome to a new season of football at Valley Parade. After 14 happy years at Derby County, I am looking forward to a new challenge as player-manager of Bradford City. Bradford has enormous potential for a successful club and it is my ambition to do well in my first job in management. I have been part of a successful team at both club and international level and I only hope I can help to bring some success to Bradford City.

I know supporters at Valley Parade have not had much to cheer about for a long time, but I am not interested in what has happened in the past. I am just looking forward to a successful season.

Not long after I became player-manager at Bradford I appointed Mick Jones as first team coach. Mick was a playing colleague of mine at Derby. Since then he has had experience of managing Kettering and last season he came near to guiding Mansfield Town promotion from the Fourth Division. Mick and Bryan Edwards, who will continue as physiotherapist and coach have unrivalled knowledge of the lower divisions and I am fortunate in having their advice and help.

The players have worked hard in pre-season training and their attitude has been first class and while it would be foolish to make rash predictions before the first League match is played I can assure you that everyone at Valley Parade will be doing their very best to provide a successful team.

Today, we welcome Wigan Athletic, who have my old friend Larry Lloyd as player-manager. Like me, Larry is a new boy to club management and while I wish him well in his new job at Wigan, naturally I hope that we come out on top today.

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Grandstand season ticket holders are reminded that for the Blackpool match in the League Cup on Wednesday, 2 September, to obtain the usual seat in the Grandstand they must purchase or reserve their ticket before the said date.

### OPEN DAY

The Club's open day will be held at Valley Parade on August Bank Holiday Monday, August 31 at 12 noon. The two previous open days held at the club in 1978 and 1979 were highly successful and we hope supporters will once again come along and meet the players and have a look around the 'behind the scenes' facilities. There will be a demonstration of training by the players, an opportunity to get autographs and take pictures of the players and parties will be taken around the club's dressing rooms and offices. There will also be a free draw with the first prize being two season tickets in the stand and the second prize two season tickets for the terraces. If the winners have already bought season tickets they will have their money refunded. There will also be a draw for lottery agents with the chance to enrol as an agent. The souvenir stall will be open and there will be the opportunity to discuss the chance of joining the Executive Club, the Supporters Travel Club and the Junior Bantams.

### EXECUTIVE CLUB

The 100 Club has changed its name to Executive Club. The club offers refreshment and bar facilities at Valley Parade, an opportunity to bring family and friends on occasions for a drink and a chat before matches, at half time and after the game. Additional social events take place with both members and players involved. Members must be proposed and seconded by other members and meet with the approval of its committee and directors of the football club.

## NEWS DESK · NEWS DESK · NEWS DESK · NEWS DESK · NEWS DESK ·

# THE DAVID MARKHAM COLUMN



Whatever the disappointments of a previous campaign, there isn't a single person involved in football who doesn't share some degree of hope and optimism at the start of a new season.

This season there could be more ground for hope than usual. New men head the Football Association (Bert Millichip) and Football League (Jack Dunnett) and there are promises of greater co-operation between the game's ruling bodies who have not always worked well together in the past.

We look forward to England qualifying for the World Cup finals in Spain under the management of Ron Greenwood, whom older football followers in Bradford remember as a centre half at Bradford Park Avenue for two seasons immediately after the 1939-45 war.

Some of the proposals made at the Football League chairmen's gatherings last season come into effect, notably the award of three points instead of two points for a win in League matches in an attempt to encourage more positive and entertaining football.

Also, the Sunday football experiment begun last season is continuing on the same limited basis and as you will have seen in the local press Bradford City are taking full advantage with seven home matches being staged on Sundays. There was no evidence from the two matches played at Valley Parade on a Sunday last season that Bradford people are any more interested in Sunday football than at any other time, but it must be pointed out that our gates were 50% down on the previous season.

It could be that there will be a better response in more favourable circumstances this season and seven matches will provide a better test of support for Sunday football than the two games played last season.

The ultimate test, of course, is whether the game itself can re-capture its appeal as an entertaining spectator sport. A bad image has often been provided in recent years and negative football, hooliganism on the terraces, rows and wrangles by those involved in the game, poor facilities at many grounds and the rising cost of watching football have all combined to turn people away.

They will not be attracted back straightaway, but if all clubs undertook to see that for once the interests of spectators were given top priority instead of being a poor last then at least a start would be made in attracting some of the missing millions back to the game.

No longer will people automatically turn up to watch football matches as they used to do in the boom years just after the 1939-45 war. Football has to compete with so many other attractions for people's leisure time nowadays and it is up to all involved in the game to make the product we try to "sell" to the public as attractive as possible. Have a happy season.

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# IN CAMERA

By Will Venters, Sports Editor of Pennine Radio

Thousands upon thousands of soccer fans on the terraces this afternoon will spend the minutes up to kick-off time and during half-time arguing with their mates over who will win what this season. For that reason today is the most exciting Saturday afternoon of the whole league campaign. Every fan believes this will be the year that his side will win the title, get promotion or have a tremendous cup run. There will be a few long faces by 4.45 though. Hopes and beliefs will have been swept aside for those supporting the sides that get beaten. But it is worth remembering that defeat on the opening day of the season can quite often be the jolt that a side needs to get it into top gear.

A look at the opening day of last season shows that West Ham lost 2-1 at home to Luton Town, Swansea City lost 2-1 at Watford, Barnsley lost 2-1 at home to Portsmouth, Rotherham United dropped a point at home to Fulham, Lincoln City drew with Peterborough United, Doncaster Rovers lost 3-0 at Port Vale and Wimbledon dropped a home point to Bradford City. But as we all know, they all got promotion in the end.

On the other side of the coin, the top scorers on the first Saturday of last season were Norwich City. They hammered Stoke City 5-1, and we all know what happened to them in the final analysis. The bookmakers have, as usual, listed their odds for every club in the country. Some of the figures quoted make me want to dig deep into my pocket, but all they have to go on at the moment is last season's form. It's perhaps best to wait a month or so before placing a bet. But with those thousands on the terraces all making their predictions this afternoon I am daft enough to put my neck in the noose and make a few predictions.

After last season's near miss I will take Ipswich Town to take the First Division title, with evergreen Liverpool as the runners-up. Relegation for Brighton, Birmingham City and Notts. County. In Division Two I fancy a quick return to the top flight for Jock Wallace's youngsters at Leicester City, along with Blackburn Rovers and Derby County.

Plymouth Argyle are my tip for the Third Division title, with Huddersfield Town, Millwall and Burnley battling away for the other promotion places. The four for the drop? — Gillingham, Doncaster Rovers, Wimbledon and Oxford United.

That just leaves Division Four. My surprise choice for the title is Darlington, with Colchester United, Bradford City and Sheffield United to make up the top four.

As always the cup competitions are a lottery. Form at this stage of the season is no guideline, but my 4 to follow in the League Cup and FA Cup are Manchester United, West Brom, Southampton and Aston Villa.

If all those predictions come up trumps I'll do a lap of honour at Valley Parade! If they are all wrong I'll eat humble pie until the start of next season comes round.



# VALLEY PARADE WELCOMES

**Saturday  
April 11, 1981**

**BRADFORD CITY 3  
WIGAN ATHLETIC 3**

Bradford: Campbell 3  
Wigan: Wright (2 penalties)  
Quinn (M)

Attendance: 2,068

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Wright  
Quinn (M)  
Houghton  
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## PEN PICTURES

John Brown (Goalkeeper) Height: 5'11½" Weight: 12st. 7lbs.

Bradford born John was an apprentice joiner before he stepped into League Football with Preston at 17. His progress at Deepdale was hindered by the reliable Eire international, Alan Kelly, and after spending 11½ years with North End, he was released in 1975. He then had one season with Stockport County before joining Wigan Athletic, for whom he has been a most reliable and efficient goalkeeper at both non-league and Football League levels. Wigan's Player of the Year in 1979-80, John has over 200 Football League appearances to his credit.

Bob Ward (Goalkeeper) Height: 6'1" Weight: 12st.

As a boy, Bob supported his local side West Bromwich Albion, and he has had the double experience of playing at the "Hawthorns" both for and against Albion! After leaving school, he played as an amateur for West Brom, eventually turning professional at 18 and making 15 first-team appearances. He later joined Blackpool for a £20,000 fee and made his debut for the Seasiders in an F.A. Cup tie at West Bromwich. He made 41 League appearances for Blackpool before joining Wigan. Made the breakthrough last season to become Wigan's first-choice goalkeeper and will shortly register his 100th Football League appearance.

John McMahon (Fullback) Height: 5'9" Weight: 11st. 2lbs.

Newly acquired from Crewe Alexandra during the close season, John has already featured prominently in Wigan's pre-season friendly fixtures. His experience gained with Preston North End and other Football League clubs has brought a more professional look to Wigan's Back Four and his polished skills and keen positional sense have earned the praise of Wigan's critical fans. John has well over 300 Football League appearances to his credit and is expected to be a key figure in the Springfield Park club's push for promotion.

Larry Lloyd (Central Defender/Player Manager) Height: 6'2" Weight: 13½st.

Appointed in the second half of last season as player/manager, this battle hardened English international has already brought a more professional approach to the play of the side under his control. A fierce competitor, with over 400 Football League games to his credit, and a wealth of experience acquired with Bristol Rovers, Liverpool, Coventry City and Nottingham Forest, Larry Lloyd expects great things this year. Certainly, he will produce a side that will be hard to beat and may yet achieve the promotion so earnestly longed for.

Colin Methven (Central Defender) Height: 6'1" Weight: 12st. 4lbs.

Manager Ian McNeill's deep knowledge of Scottish football enabled him to search out this strong and positive player who became Wigan's record signing at a fee of £30,000 from East Fife in October, 1979. It was soon obvious that the money had been well spent, for Colin, good in the air and strong in the tackle, soon took over as Captain of the Wigan side and led his men to glory in Wigan's great F.A. Cup run, season 1979-80. Another key figure in Wigan's defensive organisation, Methven looks forward eagerly to a promotion-challenging year ahead. Now over 200 competitive games played at English and Scottish Football League level.

Neil Davids (Defender) Height: 6'0" Weight: 12st. 9lbs.

Originating from Shipley, near Bradford, Neil played for Yorkshire Schools at right-back before joining Leeds United. The highlight of his five years at Elland Road was scoring the winning goal for England's Youth Team against Wales, but he did not make his league debut until he joined Norwich City. After two years at Carrow Road, and loan spells with Northampton Town and Stockport County, he joined Swansea City. However, this strong, aggressive defender never settled in Wales and joined Wigan before the start of their first year in League Football. Neil did not make an immediate impact at Springfield Park, but his positive style of play endeared him to the local fans when it was no surprise when the popular Yorkshireman made a first team spot his own. Suffered a bad injury last season, but now recovered and challenging for a first team place again.

Steve McAdam (Fullback) Height: 5'11½" Weight: 11st. 2lbs.

Joined Wigan Athletic early in the 1980-81 season after gaining experience with Burnley Football Club. After a shaky start, Steve settled down and made almost 30 appearances in Wigan Athletic colours, impressing with his cool temperament and thoughtful play. Has suffered a back injury recently, but he is not expected to be out of the action long.

# WIGAN ATHLETIC





WIGAN ATHLETIC 1981/82

**Front Row Left to Right**

Fred Eyre (Assistant Manager), Kevin Sheldon, Mark Wignall, David Glenn, Larry Lloyd (Manager), Steve McAdam, John McMahon, Jeff Wright and Kenny Banks (Coach).

**Back Row Left to Right**

Clive Evans, Les Bradd, Neil Davids, Graham Barrow, John Brown (Goalkeeper), Bob Ward (Goalkeeper), Colin Methven, Mick Quinn, Peter Houghton, Alex Cribley.

**Alex Cribley (Midfield) Height: 5'11" Weight: 12st. 9lbs.**  
After considerable Central League experience, with Liverpool Football Club, Alex joined Wigan Athletic at the end of October, 1980, and then proceeded to play every game through to the end of the season. A determined customer, who is equally at home in the Back Four as he is in mid-field. Very popular with the Wigan fans, who appreciate the fact that he always gives 100% effort.

**Kevin Langley, (Midfield) Height: 6'1" Weight: 9st.**

A young player who joined Wigan as an apprentice, having been released by Preston North End after trials. His form in the pre-season games has been a revelation, and the quality of his play against such well-organised sides as Walsall and Sheffield Wednesday have put him in contention for early promotion to the first team. A cool, thoughtful player who should do well as he develops physically.

**Clive Evans (Midfield) Height: 5'10" Weight: 10st. 9lbs.**

Joined Wigan in the close season from Tranmere Rovers for a sizeable fee, having already completed over 150 Football League appearances and scored over 30 goals for the Merseyside club. He has shown promise in the pre-season games and is likely to be a key figure in Larry Lloyd's re-organised team structure. A precise and well cultured player.

**Graham Barrow (Midfield) Height: 6'2" Weight: 13st. 0lbs.**

Another close season signing from Alliance Premier League side, Altrincham. A strong aggressive player, who, once he adjusts to the demands of full time football, should prove an asset as Wigan Athletic set their stall out to gain promotion.

**Kevin Sheldon (Winger) Height: 5'5½" Weight: 9st. 4lbs.**

Signed from Stoke City during the summer, Kevin, a natural winger, is expected to give the Wigan Athletic side width in attack and a good supply of crosses for the team's strike force. Tricky and brave, this young player is anxious to give his career a boost, after recovering from a series of setbacks, in the shape of leg injuries, during his stay with "The Potters". Warmly welcomed by the Springfield Park spectators.

**David Glenn (Winger) Height: 5'9" Weight: 10st. 10lbs.**

Wigan Athletic's first apprentice after their elevation to the Football League, local boy David has been the revelation of the pre-season games. Not only has this talented youngster performed well in his customary wing role, but he has also turned in excellent performances in the left-back position against both Walsall and Sheffield Wednesday. More will be heard of this promising player in the months ahead.

**Mike Quinn (Forward) Height: 5'10" Weight: 12st.**

After battling his way through from the Wigan Athletic Youth XI and the Reserves, Mike made his mark as the Club's leading goal-scorer in the 1980-81 Football League campaign. He has gone from strength to strength in the pre-season games, notching double figures against a variety of opposition from non-league to Football League Division 1 levels. If he can maintain momentum, this strong, bustling youngster is sure to attract the interest of clubs higher up in the Football League scale in the months ahead.

**Les Bradd (Forward) Height: 6'1" Weight: 13st. 3lbs.**

A player of vast experience, with over 500 Football League appearances and more than 150 goals, Les is expected to bring all the knowledge acquired at Rotherham United, Notts. County and Stockport County to the Wigan Athletic attack. Capable also of quality performances at the back of the defence, this seasoned player could prove to be the shrewdest of manager Larry Lloyd's close season signings. He is expected to bring the best out of the younger players around him.

**Peter Houghton (Forward) Height: 5'11" Weight: 12st. 7lbs.**

After showing a great deal of promise in Wigan Athletic's first two seasons in League Football, Peter struggled last year against a series of niggling injuries and inconsistent form. However, towards the end of last year's campaign, he began to hit something near his top form, his goal touch returned, and, supported by Quinn and Bradd, he should be back among the goals again this season. On his day, a really exciting attacker.

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This pre-season, we have played three Yorkshire League sides, Bradley Rangers of Huddersfield, Phoenix Park, the Bradford Side who have just won election to the Yorkshire League and Guiseley.

Twelve months ago we visited Bradley to play a match to open their new ground following their election to the Yorkshire League. We were invited back this pre-season and on a warm evening we beat them 4-1. Our scorers were Allan Thompson, Garry Watson, David Staniforth and Mark Ellis.

The following week we visited Phoenix Park, who play at Thornbury, in a match to mark the opening of their improved ground facilities. Phoenix have just been elected to the Yorkshire League after playing in the West Riding County Amateur League. We won a highly competitive match 3-0, scorers being John Hanson, Stuart McCall and Micky Guy.

The North Midlands League programme begins on Tuesday September 1 with an away game against Barnsley.

Make a note of the date Tuesday September 8 when we play York City in an FA Youth Cup preliminary round at Valley Parade (7.15).



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|     |                     | P     | W  | D  | L  | A  | Pts |  |
| 1.  | Southend United     | 46    | 30 | 7  | 9  | 79 | 31  |  |
| 2.  | Lincoln City        | 46    | 25 | 15 | 6  | 66 | 25  |  |
| 3.  | Doncaster Rovers    | 46    | 22 | 12 | 12 | 59 | 49  |  |
| 4.  | Wimbleton           | 46    | 23 | 9  | 14 | 64 | 55  |  |
| 5.  | Peterborough United | 46    | 17 | 18 | 11 | 68 | 54  |  |
| 6.  | Aldershot           | 46    | 18 | 14 | 14 | 43 | 41  |  |
| 7.  | Mansfield Town      | 46    | 20 | 9  | 17 | 58 | 44  |  |
| 8.  | Darlington          | 46    | 19 | 11 | 16 | 65 | 59  |  |
| 9.  | Harrogate United    | 46    | 23 | 9  | 14 | 62 | 55  |  |
| 10. | Northampton Town    | 46    | 18 | 13 | 15 | 65 | 49  |  |
| 11. | Wigan Athletic      | 46    | 18 | 11 | 17 | 51 | 55  |  |
| 12. | Bury                | 46    | 17 | 11 | 18 | 70 | 62  |  |
| 13. | Bournemouth         | 46    | 16 | 13 | 17 | 47 | 48  |  |
| 14. | Bradford City       | 46    | 14 | 16 | 16 | 53 | 60  |  |
| 15. | Rochdale            | 46    | 14 | 15 | 17 | 60 | 43  |  |
| 16. | Southampton United  | 46    | 11 | 20 | 15 | 60 | 69  |  |
| 17. | Torquay United      | 46    | 18 | 5  | 23 | 55 | 63  |  |
| 18. | Crewe Alexandra     | 46    | 13 | 14 | 19 | 48 | 61  |  |
| 19. | Preston North End   | 46    | 12 | 15 | 19 | 57 | 70  |  |
| 20. | Stockport County    | 46    | 16 | 7  | 23 | 57 | 38  |  |
| 21. | Tranmere Rovers     | 46    | 13 | 10 | 23 | 53 | 73  |  |
| 22. | Hersford United     | 46    | 11 | 13 | 22 | 38 | 62  |  |
| 23. | Halifax Town        | 46    | 11 | 12 | 23 | 44 | 71  |  |
| 24. | York City           | 46    | 12 | 9  | 25 | 47 | 66  |  |

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| Tues. 15th Sept. | Chesterfield         | Away |
| Tues. 22nd Sept. | L.C. 1st R'd 1st Leg | Away |
|                  | Doncaster            |      |
| Tues. 6th Oct.   | L.C. 1st R'd 2nd Leg | Home |
|                  | Doncaster            |      |
| Tues. 13th Oct.  | Grimsby Town         | Home |
| Tues. 20th Oct.  | Halifax Town         | Home |
| Tues. 27th Oct.  | Hull City            | Away |
| Tues. 10th Nov.  | Middlesbrough        | Home |
| Tues. 17th Nov.  | Mansfield Town       | Home |
| Tues. 1st Dec.   | Rotherham United     | Home |
| Tues. 8th Dec.   | Scunthorpe United    | Away |
| Tues. 15th Dec.  | L.C. 2nd R'd         |      |
| Tues. 22nd Dec.  | Sunderland           | Away |
| Wed. 30th Dec.   | York City            | Away |
| Tues. 5th Jan.   | York City            | Home |
| Tues. 12th Jan.  | Barnsley             | Home |
| Tues. 26th Jan.  | Chesterfield         | Home |
| Tues. 2nd Feb.   | Doncaster Rovers     | Away |
| Tues. 9th Feb.   | Grimsby Town         | Away |
| Tues. 16th Feb.  | Halifax Town         | Away |
| Tues. 23rd Feb.  | Hull City            | Home |
| Tues. 2nd Mar.   | Lincoln City         | Away |
| Tues. 9th Mar.   | Middlesbrough        | Away |
| Tues. 16th Mar.  | Mansfield Town       | Away |
| Tues. 23rd Mar.  | Notts. County        | Home |
| Mon. 29th Mar.   | Rotherham United     | Away |
| Tues. 6th April  | Scunthorpe United    | Home |
| Tues. 13th April | Sunderland           | Home |
| Tues. 20th April | Doncaster Rovers     | Home |
| Tues. 27th April | Lincoln City         | Home |
| Tues. 4th May    | Notts. County        | Away |

## APPEARANCES

### 4TH DIV. LEADING SCORERS





# Today's Game

## BRADFORD

1. Steve Smith
2. Cyril Podd
3. Gary Watson
4. Billy Ingham
5. Peter Jackson
6. Roy McFarland
7. Barry Gallagher
8. John Black
9. Bobby Campbell
10. David McNiven
11. Les Chapman
12. Allan Thompson

## WIGAN

1. John Brown
2. John McMahon
3. Steve McAdam
4. Alec Cribbley
5. Larry Lloyd
6. Colin Methven
7. Kevin Shelden
8. Graham Barrow
9. Les Bradd
10. Mike Quinn
11. Clive Evans
12. Peter Houghton

## TODAY'S REF:



Mr. Mark P. Scott (Nottingham)

Began refereeing in 1965. Joined the League in 1975 via the East Midland Leagues. In 1978 he was linesman for a UEFA

Cup match and refereed an FA Vase semi-final in 1979. He is interested in all sports, enjoys swimming and keeps fit for refereeing by running and weight training. Played cricket and football at county level while at school. He is a security officer and is married with three daughters. Linesmen: Mr. T. Johnson (Gainsborough) Red Flag; Mr. J. S. Sinclair (Durham) Yellow Flag.



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